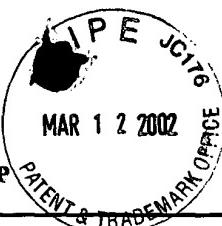


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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Docket Number (Optional)
A32573-A-A 072396.020

In re Application of Robbins et al.

Application Number 09/653,182

Filed 08/31/2000

For IDENTIFICATION OF PEPTIDES THAT * see attached

Group Art Unit 1645

Examiner Tizio, S.

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

- One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))
 - Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))
 - Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))
 - Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))
 - Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))
- Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ 200.
- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.
- The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 02-4377.
I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

I am the applicant/inventor

- assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).
- attorney or agent of record.
- attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).
Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) _____.

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